

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND HEALTH SERVICES  
MEDICAL ASSISTANCE ADMINISTRATION  
Olympia, Washington**

**To:** Pharmacists  
Managed Care Plans

**Memorandum No. 05-84 MAA  
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**From:** Douglas Porter, Assistant Secretary  
Medical Assistance Administration

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<http://maa.dshs.wa.gov/pharmacy/>

**Subject: Prescription Drug Program: Maximum Allowable Cost Updates**

**Effective for dates of service on and after October 1, 2005,** the Medical Assistance Administration (MAA) will implement the following changes to the Prescription Drug Program:

1. New additions to the Maximum Allowable Cost (MAC) list;
2. Adjustments to existing MACs; and
3. Deletions from the MAC list.

**MAC Additions:**

<b>Generic Name</b>	<b>Strength</b>	<b>Form</b>	<b>MAC Effective 10/01/05</b>
GLYBURIDE/METFORMIN HCL	1.25/250MG	TABLET	\$0.17190
GLYBURIDE/METFORMIN HCL	2.5/500MG	TABLET	\$0.18550
GLYBURIDE/METFORMIN HCL	5/500MG	TABLET	\$0.18550
MOMETASONE FUROATE (45GM SIZE ONLY)	0.1%	CREAM	\$0.75380
NORETH A-ET ESTRA/ FE FUMARATE	1/0.02MG	TABLET	\$0.75410
OXYCODONE HCL	10MG	TAB SR 12H	\$0.90430
OXYCODONE HCL	20MG	TAB SR 12H	\$1.73050
OXYCODONE HCL	40MG	TAB SR 12H	\$3.07010
OXYCODONE HCL	15MG	TABLET	\$0.33380
OXYCODONE HCL	30MG	TABLET	\$0.62100
SPIRONOLACTONE	25MG	TABLET	\$0.18440
TERCONAZOLE	0.4%	CREAM/APPL	\$0.45060

**MAC Adjustments:**

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 10/01/05
DICLOFENAC SODIUM	50MG	TABLET DR	\$0.47480
DICLOFENAC SODIUM	75MG	TABLET DR	\$0.58500
INDOMETHACIN	75MG	CAPSULE SA	\$1.56140
MECLOFENAMATE SODIUM	100MG	CAPSULE	\$0.34730
NEFAZODONE HCL	150MG	TABLET	\$0.42880
TRAZODONE HCL	150MG	TABLET	\$0.14520

**MAC Deletions:**

Generic Name	Strength	Form	MAC Effective 10/01/05
NICARDIPINE HCL	30MG	CAPSULE SA	\$0.00000

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